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The Ohio Law Is Attacked.

Cleveland, Nov. 23.—A desperate attack on the oleomargarine law of the United States is being made in the federal court here in the case of Henry and Frank Hartman, now on trial on 18 counts of alleged violation of various provisions of the law. The men are defended by Attorney Sutherland, of Detroit, general counsel of the national organization of oleo interests, assisted by Judge J. C. Bloch. Sutherland has announced to the court his claim that the law is unconstitutional and has tried, without success, to prevent the testimony of national revenue agents on the ground that the search warrant under which they raided the Hartman establishment here was illegal and that duress was used to obtain their information.

A Daring Dash for Freedom.

East Liverpool, O., Nov. 23.—After leaping from a rapidly moving train with his hands manacled behind his back, Harry Kerr, a prisoner being taken from Smith's Ferry to Beaver, escaped in a boat across the Ohio river at Merrill. A fusillade of bullets followed the fleeing man and boats were put out into the river, but he is still at large. Following a serious charge brought by his 17-year-old daughter, Kerr was being taken hand-cuffed to jail. As the train left Merrill Kerr requested water. While the officer was at one end of the car Kerr jumped through the window.

Stutzman Is Voted Out of Office.

Kent, O., Nov. 23.—Superintendent of Schools Stutzman, charged with pernicious activity during the recent municipal election, was voted out of his position Friday afternoon after an all-day session of the school board. R. F. Clark, of Ashtabula, was chosen as his successor. Stutzman, suffering from a nervous breakdown caused by the charges against him, was unable to appear. His attorneys say they will carry the case to the courts. Stutzman has been at head of the schools here 30 years.

Report of Cleveland State Hospital.

Columbus, O., Nov. 23.—The fifty-third annual report of the Cleveland state hospital was filed with the governor Friday. It shows that the total number of different patients in the hospital during the year was 1,668, and there were 1,310 on hand on November 15, 1907. 104 died during the year and 135 were released as recovered. The percentage of recoveries based on admissions was 36 per cent. The per capita cost was \$154.46. The total expenditures were \$233,542.

State Board of Commerce Adjourns.

Columbus, O., Nov. 23.—The state board of commerce closed its annual meeting Friday. George P. Pomeroy, of Toledo, was elected president. The board of commerce declared in favor of the abolition of party conventions for the nomination of candidates for municipal offices, and against the use of party caucuses. It also recommended the bill suggested by the Ohio Primary Election Reform league, which provides for nominations by primaries and petitions.

Dog Saved Girl from Assault.

Zanesville, O., Nov. 23.—A pet dog saved Carrie Reynolds, aged 8 years, of Sewellville, from a negro who had picked her up and attempted to carry her away. The dog sank its teeth into the negro's body until he dropped the child and ran. The negro was caught Friday by a posse of men. In court at Sewellville the girl positively identified the man and he was sent to St. Clairsville jail to await action of the grand jury.

Thief Fatally Shot a Detective.

Cleveland, Nov. 23.—Jacob Blumenthal, 45, a private detective employed by the Goldsmith agency, was shot twice and fatally wounded at Huron road and East Ninth street Friday night while arresting an alleged robber of telephone pay stations. A man giving his name as Bert Clark, 19, of Chicago, is under arrest, charged with shooting to kill and petit larceny. The police say that Clark confessed that he shot Blumenthal.

Detective and Robbers Were Shot.

Pittsburg, Nov. 23.—In a pistol duel Friday between Detective Peters, of the West Penn railroad, and five negroes the officer and two negroes were shot, one negro seriously. Two others escaped and one was captured by Peters. The shooting occurred at Kishwaukee Junction, near here, and resulted from the robbery of a hardware store.

Stinner Is Convicted.

Cleveland, Nov. 23.—After having deliberated 47½ hours, the jury in the case of C. M. Stinner, a Big Four engineer charged with sending obscene letters to Louise Stanley, his stepdaughter, reported Friday afternoon "Guilty," was the verdict returned.

Burglars Got Much Plunder.

Lovellville, O., Nov. 23.—Police have sent for bloodhounds to place on the trail of thieves who entered William Smith's store Thursday night and secured \$700 worth of boots, clothing and other merchandise.

Train Killed a Bridge Tender.

Cleveland, Nov. 23.—George Kundtz, a bridge tender in Newburg, was run down Friday by one of the Cleveland & Pittsburgh passenger trains he has watched as by for years. He was instantly killed.

BANKS MAY KEEP 75 PER CENT

OF CASH PAID FOR THE ONE-YEAR CERTIFICATES.

MAY BE USED LIKE BONDS.

The Certificates Can be Deposited with the Treasury as Security for New Bank Note Circulation, Up to Their Par Value.

Washington, Nov. 23.—An important announcement of policy was made Friday by Secretary Cortelyou in regard to the allotment of the new one-year treasury certificates which indicate that the secretary is prepared to cut red tape as far as possible and place the proceeds of the sale of the certificates promptly at the disposal of the money market. He proposes to return to national banks subscribing for the certificates as a deposit of public money 75 per cent of the cash paid for them. The remaining 25 per cent will go for the time being to strengthen the cash balance of the treasury.

The banks surrendering this 25 per cent will not, however, suffer a reduction in their supply of currency, for they will be entitled to receive the par value of the certificates purchased in new bank note circulation. In order to make this transaction immediately effective the treasury will retain the certificates purchased by each bank, if it desires that they be deposited with the United States treasurer as security for circulation, and will ship the notes at once.

Secretary Cortelyou is studying the applications for certificates carefully, in order to make the allotments in the manner which will be most beneficial to the monetary situation.

The bids for the Panama 2 per cent bonds being kept sealed until the time for closing the receipt of bids, which is a week from today. This prevents any calculation as to the amount subscribed for or the prices offered, but the number of offers is already sufficient to indicate a quite general response from the banks of the country.

While the envelopes have not been examined to determine the source of the bids, it is believed that they will come from national banks to a larger extent than the subscriptions for the Panama bonds. The latter, however, of interest, offer less attraction to private investors than to national banks, for whom they carry the privilege of increasing their circulation. In the case of certificates as well as the bonds, assurances have been received that large banks will be made next week when money market conditions will be better than at present.

J. Pierpont Morgan and George F. Baker, the latter president of the First National Bank of New York City, arrived here Friday for a conference with Secretary Cortelyou. At 10 o'clock last night Messrs. Morgan and Baker, accompanied by Assistant Secretary Bacon, of the state department, went to the White House to see the president by appointment. The object of their visit was not divulged, but it was believed to be in relation to the financial situation.

Upon leaving the White House at 11:25 p. m., after being with the president an hour and a half, Mr. Morgan on being asked in regard to the developments replied that conditions in the money market were being done to relieve the money stringency and that the situation was satisfactory. Mr. Morgan said that his object in coming to Washington was to see Secretary Cortelyou in furtherance of the conference he had with the secretary in New York last week.

Schwerin Attacks Government's Policy.

New York, Nov. 23.—In a speech tinged with bitterness President S. P. Schwerin, of the Pacific Mail steamship line, last night assailed the government's attitude toward shipping on the Pacific and declared that the present policy bids fair to drive the American flag from the Pacific as well as from the Atlantic. His line, he said, was losing money as a result of the operations of the inter-state commerce commission and he intimated that the company would not ask for a renewal of its 50-year charter, which expires in April next, but would retire from business.

Suicided in St. Louis.

St. Louis, Nov. 23.—George P. Miller, who was once the private secretary of Samuel J. Randall, who was speaker of the national house of representatives, committed suicide here Friday. The body will be sent to Washington, Pa., the old family home, for burial.

Y. M. C. A. Convention in Session.

Washington, Nov. 23.—Christian workers representing many lands gathered here Friday in attendance upon the international convention of the Young Men's Christian Association. The convention will continue for four days.

Moran Defeats Neil.

San Francisco, Nov. 23.—Owen Moran, of England, and Frankie Neil, of America met last night in a scheduled 20-round boxing contest. Moran won in the 16th round.

Police Arrested 250 Unionists.

Havana, Nov. 23.—A strong force of detectives and police last night raided a meeting in a hall on Reina street of the Federative Committee of labor and arrested all those present, numbering some 250 persons, including Emilio Sanchez and Feliciano Prieto respectively president and secretary of the committee. All the prisoners were locked up, bail being refused. Sanchez and Prieto were arrested Thursday night on the complaint of a bullfight named Quintana, charging them with instigating striking masses to intimidate non-unionists in his employ, but both were released on bail.

WOMAN SLAYER OF SENATOR BROWN SKETCHED IN COURT.



MRS. ANNIE BRADLEY.

HOMEWARD RUSH OF FOREIGNERS

FROM THIS COUNTRY WAS NEVER SO GREAT AS NOW.

THOUSANDS ARE LEAVING.

The Demand for Steerage Accommodations Has Been So Large that Bookings are Closed Weeks in Advance.

New York, Nov. 23.—Serious freight congestion threatens all foreign shippers because of the unprecedented homebound rush of foreigners. The eastward bound steerage travel during the past six weeks has been unparalleled and the demand for accommodations has been so great that bookings have been closed weeks in advance of sailings. The main of the North German Lloyd line, which sailed on Thursday, carried 2,455 steerage passengers, and even up to the minute of sailing there were hundreds of persons waiting on the piers for accommodations.

Bookings for steerage on the Seydlitz, of the same line, which is to sail Wednesday next, have been closed for several days and no more steerage tickets are being sold for the Koenig Albert, which will sail November 30 for Mediterranean ports.

European freight at this time of year is very heavy and, with the enormous increase in steerage travel, many lines are finding it difficult to handle. European shipments now consist largely of apples, of which 168,170 barrels have been exported so far this year. The main carried 8,200 barrels and 3,200 boxes of apples.

These apple shipments will likely continue until after the holidays, and it is perishable freight the steamship companies try to handle it even to the exclusion of other business. Other European shipments consist largely of cotton, grain, provisions, dried fruits, tobacco and oil.

The eastward bound steerage or third class travel from January 1 to November 15, 1907, is already 110,000 in excess of what it was for the same period of 1906. The second class eastward bound travel is 14,000 in excess of what it was last year, and both the second and third class figures will be largely augmented during the next few weeks.

Portugal's Crown Prince Is Banished.

London, Nov. 23.—A dispatch to the Standard from Madrid says that King Carlos of Portugal has banished Crown Prince Luis Philippe to the royal residence at Villa Vicosa, an isolated park 100 miles from the capital, on account of the prince's remonstrance against the dictatorship regime, which he declares is turning Portugal into a hotbed of republicanism and anarchy and endangering the monarchy. The incident has caused a great sensation. The crown prince is said to be under the influence of the conservatives, who advocate the abdication of King Carlos in favor of his son.

A Remarkable Petition.

Berlin, Nov. 23.—Prof. Forel and his associates in the temperance propaganda have petitioned the government to set apart cars Saturday and Sunday nights on the Prussian railways for intoxicated persons, or if that be inexpedient to reserve cars for abstainers, with train hands at the doors when the trains stop, to exclude intoxicated people and thus afford abstainers quiet traveling.

Printers Demand More Pay.

Fall River, Mass., Nov. 23.—The printers of this city employed in newspaper and job offices have made a demand through the Typographical union for an increase in wages averaging about 30 per cent. They say they will go on strike unless the raise desired goes into effect next Monday. There are three newspapers and 15 job printing offices in the city affected by the demand.

BRIEF NEWS ITEMS.

Oceans, W. Va., a lumber village of 400 inhabitants, was almost entirely destroyed by fire which started in a hotel. The loss will exceed \$100,000.

About 400 men employed in the shops of the New York Central railroad at West Albany, N. Y., have been laid off. This is about a quarter of the entire force.

A riot occurred near Joliet, Ill., as a result of a strike following an attempted wage reduction among stone quarry men. Strikers and men wishing to work clashed in a bloody fight. A number of men were injured.

One man is dead, another is dying, a third is at a hospital in a serious condition and a score of persons had narrow escapes, as the result of a fire which broke out in Sawtell's hotel at Buffalo, N. Y.

Business failures in the United States for the week ending November 21 numbered 263, against 212 in the like week of 1904. Canadian failures numbered 35, as against 27 in this week a year ago.

Gave \$35,000 Bail.

Beaver, Pa., Nov. 23.—Following a hearing on Friday before Justice of the Peace Minor John J. Patterson, of Beaver Falls, charged with conspiracy to murder Judge Richard S. Holt, was held for court under \$35,000 bail. William H. Howard testified that Patterson, after many talks on the subject, on the night of November 15 came to Howard's barn to talk of plans to kill Judge Holt and described how he had concealed three men in the barn to hear Patterson's plans for the murder. Howard said Patterson offered \$1,000 for the job. Howard was directed to shoot Holt in the back. M. W. Robb corroborated Howard in regard to the plotting, overheard by himself and two companions at Howard's barn. Patterson furnished \$35,000 bond and was released.

Admiral Dewey's Secretary Disappears.

Washington, Nov. 23.—Lieut. John W. Crawford, secretary to Admiral Dewey, has disappeared and it is believed he has committed suicide. Benoit A. Allen, a friend of the missing man, received a letter Friday from Crawford in which it was stated that he had determined on suicide and requesting Allen to break the news to Mrs. Crawford. The police alarm was sent out and Crawford's hat and coat were found on the deck of a ferryboat plying between Washington and Alexandria. While no one on the boat saw anybody jump overboard, yet from statements made by the crew the police are convinced that Crawford committed suicide by drowning.

Witness Was Shadowed by Detectives.

Pittsburg, Nov. 23.—The hearing of State Senator Elliott Rodgers, who with a number of other prominent republican politicians of Allegheny is accused of providing voters at the fall election of 1906 with fraudulent receipts, was continued Friday. Robert J. Kuritz, a witness, said he was shadowed by county detectives Thursday night and had been called to the district attorney's office. Much time was occupied by a handwriting expert who testified regarding the receipts.

The Mauretania's First Trip.

New York, Nov. 23.—The steamship Mauretania, the biggest ship in the world, arrived here Friday from Queenstown, bringing \$12,500,000 in gold. It was her first trip across the ocean and she was greatly delayed by bad weather.

Killed a Policeman and Shot Himself.

Burlington, N. J., Nov. 23.—As a direct result of the murder of E. S. Jefferson here Thursday night, Policeman George Gursang was murdered this morning by a mysterious stranger who afterwards fatally shot himself.

The Jury Disagreed.

St. Louis, Nov. 23.—After being in session more than 22 hours, the jury in the case of Edward G. Lewis, charged with murdering the mails in connection with the People's United States bank, reported to Judge Garland in the United States district court Friday that the members were unable to agree. The judge then discharged the jury, which stood seven for conviction and five for acquittal. The trial covered 15 days.

Don't Preach About Home Trade

and at the same time send your orders for job printing out of town. Your home printer can do your work just as good, and in nine cases out of ten he can beat the city man's prices, because he pays much less for running expenses. By sending your next printing order to this office you'll be better satisfied all around, and you'll be keeping the money at home.

IMPROVEMENT IS REPORTED

IN COMMERCIAL CONDITIONS, BUT STRINGENCY CONTINUES.

Manufacturers Restrict Production and Collections are Irregular—Iron Trade Is Dull.

New York, Nov. 23.—If G. D. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says: Improvement is reported in retail trade and sentiment is more hopeful in some commercial departments, but pending the resumption of active demand manufacturers restrict production. Financial conditions are less disturbing, much relief resulting from large imports of gold, while a better feeling was caused by the announcement of further government aid, although the proposed bonds and certificates have not yet increased the actual supply of money.

Mercantile collections are irregular, some sections of the country reporting unexpectedly prompt settlements, while at other points they are slow. The final return for October indicated a favorable trade balance for the United States of \$35,747,482 and still better results are promised for November.

No further difficulty is anticipated in meeting notes now that the national settlements have been made without serious delay. Holiday trade has opened, wholesale houses distributing goods to dealers throughout the country.

Little alteration is noticed in quotations of iron and steel, notwithstanding prices being affected by restriction of output. Any pressure to force sales would result in concessions, but producers maintain their position by shutting down all capacity for which there is no demand.

Suicide of a Doctor.

Philadelphia, Nov. 23.—Dr. Nathan Pampinella, a specialist in nervous diseases, committed suicide Friday by taking morphine.

Maxwell Remains in Jail.

New York, Nov. 23.—Howard Maxwell, the indicted ex-president of the Borough bank, of Brooklyn, unable to procure a bondsman to act as surety for him in the sum of \$30,000 on three indictments charging him with grand larceny and forgery, was compelled to remain in jail Friday.

A Gruesome Record.

New York, Nov. 23.—A report of accidents on railroads and street rail ways in Greater New York made it the public service commission show that during October 47 persons were killed and 4,954 injured.

A Train Robbery in France.

Etampes, France, Nov. 23.—Three highwaymen on Thursday night robbed the Toulon express near here. They entered the baggage car, shot down the guards, seized the cash boxes and jumped off. At the next station an alarm was given and the robbers were pursued, but they escaped in an automobile held by waiting accomplices.

Crushed to Death in an Elevator.

Pittsburg, Nov. 23.—O. K. McCutcheon, 50 years old, a wealthy merchant residing at Turtle Creek, Pa., while getting out of an elevator in a downtown skyscraper Friday was caught between the door and shaft and crushed to death.

A Dishonest Banker Is Sentenced.

Birmingham, Ala., Nov. 23.—Louis M. Dyke, president of the defunct Atlanta national bank, charged with misappropriating funds, pleaded guilty before the federal court at Anniston Friday and was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary.

A Collision of Submarines.

Toulon, Nov. 23.—While making a joint attack on a battleship during the naval maneuvers of this port, the submarines Boute and Souffleur collided at a depth of 30 metres. The Souffleur's conning tower window was smashed and the water began to rush in, but with rare presence of mind the commander operated the rising mechanism and the vessel reached the surface before it had time to fill completely.

Good News for Him.

"I've decided," said Ritter, "to devote myself exclusively hereafter to the writing of poetry."

"Glad to hear it," said Krotchett.

"Think that's my forte, eh?"

"Don't know about that, but I do know that I never read poetry."

INSPECT YOUR CHIMNEYS NOW IT MAY SAVE A SERIOUS FIRE

In Ohio the Cost of Fires From Defective Chimneys Last Year was \$342,857—Take Ten Minutes Time in Protecting Your Property.

In Ohio the cost of fires from defective chimneys last year was \$342,857, the number in winter being two or three each day.

The average date of the first killing frost is November 16th. If each householder would inspect his chimney before freezing weather arrives, \$100 remedy defects in them, that amount would be reduced at least \$250,000. Why not protect your property and its occupants by devoting 10 minutes time to this commonest of all fire dangers?

Fires from defective chimneys, usually being in the attic get a good start in the dryest of wood before the alarm is raised. Attics being difficult of access to one with a water bucket the fire is likely to get beyond control.

DEFECTS POSSIBLE.

The settling of its foundation may open a crevice between the bricks or stones, so that sparks can escape. Sometimes a new chimney in settling forms a crack because one side of it is held by floor timbers.

A chimney built up from joists or brackets is always a source of danger, because of the liability of cracks from springing of the timbers. Chimneys so built often have as their base a plank whose only protection from sparks and heat is a layer of mortar on it. Many fires result from this practice.

Salmon-tinted bricks disintegrate. Poor mortar crumbles out leaving openings. Nails driven into brick chimneys are likely to come out leaving holes. A joist and should not rest in a chimney wall. Tile chimneys of all sorts are unsafe because they are very likely to crack off at the level of the roof where cold air strikes them. A hood should make no offset to hold soot. The chimney top should be inspected and soot swept down and removed from below.

THE STOVEPIPE.

Stovepipes must be cleaned. Jarring the soot out is not enough; a scraper should be used inside it to remove scales. Then it should be inspected section by section for rust holes which might permit sparks to fly outward instead of upward. There is a widespread impression that the job of stovepipe cleaning should be approached with calmness, fortitude and resolution. But for the fact that Job, the great exemplar of patience, was a tent dweller, one might think he referred to stovepipe cleaning when he said, "Yet man is born unto trouble as the sparks fly upward." See that the pipe when up is spark tight throughout and is not pushed into the flue so as to choke it.

NATURAL GAS.

A number of persons have been suffocated by fumes from burning gas as a result of the small pipes from gas heaters becoming choked by falling mortar. Natural gas, like other fuels, is changed in burning to steam and carbon monoxide and dioxides which are poisonous to animal life. But in the burning of coal and wood small articles of carbon escape and form soot which protects the mortar from the action of the carbonic gases. The use of natural gas in the state has reduced the number of fire fires 42 per cent, because gas smoke is sparkless.

THE ELBOW.

An elbow in a stovepipe lessens the liability of particles of kindling or fuel being drawn from the chimney top and alighting still red hot on the shingles. If such sparks are given elbow room they are likely to bump in making the turn and fall back harmless. While a fire is burning, the air in a chimney travels up at the rate of three to six feet a second. Unplugged and ragged stovepipe holes caused six fires in Ohio during 1906.

A stovepipe should not pass where it cannot be seen as through a lath and plaster partition, or through an ings in it may occur from rust or ings in it may occur from rust or the parting of a seam or joint. And, too, in such situation the pipe becomes covered with a fluff which is liable to ignite; neither should a pipe pass through roof, window or siding—even of a summer kitchen, for it is liable to become red-hot.

No flue should be smaller than 8 by 8 inches, which is the length of a brick. If any green wood is used the flue should be 8x12 inches.

The effective way to deal with this enormous loss from defective flues is through a state building law similar to that of North Carolina which controls the building of chimneys and many other details of architecture. This would cure the evil in 60 years.

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